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**VIA HAND DELIVERY**

Hon. Pat Miller, Chairman  
Tennessee Regulatory Authority  
460 James Robertson Parkway  
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Re: *Docket to Establish Generic Performance Measurements, Benchmarks  
and Enforcement Mechanisms for BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.*  
Docket No. 01-00193

Dear Chairman Miller:

Consistent with the terms of the Settlement Agreement relating to performance measurements approved by the Authority in this proceeding, BellSouth is filing fifteen copies of a Notification Report for the February 2005 data month and a Preliminary Notification Report for the data month of March 2005. These Reports are being filed for informational purposes with all of the state public service commissions in BellSouth's nine-state region.

Copies of the enclosed are being provided to counsel of record. Thank you for your assistance in this regard.

Very truly yours,

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Atlanta, Georgia 30334-5701

Re. *Performance Measurements for Telecommunications Interconnection,  
Unbundling and Resale; Docket No. 7892-U*

Dear Mr. McAlister:

Consistent with the Commission's July 19, 2002 Order, BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. ("BellSouth") is filing a Proposed Notification Report for the February 2005 data month and a Preliminary Notification Report for the data month of March 2005. These proposed changes will be discussed at the January 7, 2005 industry conference call.

Enclosed herein, please find an original and seventeen (17) copies, as well as an electronic version, of these Data Notification Reports. I would appreciate your filing same in the above-referenced docket and returning the two (2) extra copies stamped "filed" in the enclosed stamped, self-addressed envelopes.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Yours very truly,

Lisa S. Foshee

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## **PROPOSED FEBRUARY 2005 DATA NOTIFICATION**

BellSouth proposes making the changes described in this document to generate results for the February 2005 data month. Results for the February 2005 data month will be posted as follows:

Preliminary results    March 21, 2005  
Final results            March 31, 2005

BellSouth provides Data Notifications each month in compliance with the Georgia Public Service Commission's Order of July 19, 2002. This order specifies that when BellSouth proposes making any changes to the methods by which performance data is calculated, it must provide written notice. This notice must be provided on the first business day of the month before the data month in which the change will be made. BellSouth must also provide notification if it is considering making changes to the method of calculating data for the following month.

The "Affected Measures" described in this notice are those set forth in the Georgia Service Quality Measurement ("SQM") Plan, unless otherwise noted. All "Impact of Change" descriptions are stated at the measurement level, unless the sub-metric level is specified.

ENCORE Releases may affect monthly data flows from the source systems (*e.g.*, LEO, LESOG, etc.) that PMAP uses to calculate measurements. BellSouth will make changes to PMAP to ensure that data continues to be correctly captured as ENCORE Releases are implemented.

### **Ordering Measurements**

(1) *Affected Measures:* OSS-1

*Description of Change:* Currently, PMAP is counting test transaction for LENS and EDI in the CLEC volume for this measure. BellSouth proposes to exclude these test transactions. This proposed change was Item (1) on the Preliminary February Data Notification filed on December 1, 2004. (RQ5877)

*Impact of Change* For September 2004, .02% of the LENS transactions were test transactions. For EDI, .003% were test transactions.

(2) *Affected Measures:* O-9 (Georgia and Kentucky)

*Description of Change:* Currently, the minimum number of minutes for the >6 hour interval bucket for this measure is set to 369 minutes instead of 360 minutes. This is causing LSRs confirmed between 360 and 368 minutes not to be reported in this interval bucket. BellSouth proposes to correct this problem. This proposed change was Item (2) on the Preliminary February Data Notification filed on December 1, 2004. (RQ5944)

*Impact of Change* None to measurement results.

### **Provisioning Measurements**

- (3) *Affected Measures:* P-4, P-4A & P-10

*Description of Change:* Since introduction of Encore Release 14.0, some orders do not have the "L" appointment code applied if the original committed due date requested is later than the calculated date offered by the Due Date Calculator. BellSouth proposes to change PMAP coding to recognize these orders as "L" appointment coded. (RQ5695)

*Impact of Change:* For July 2004, in Georgia, UNE Loop and Port Dispatch, <10 would decrease by 329 records. The interval would be reduced from 5.79 days to 5.59 days.

- (4) *Affected Measures:* P-7, P-7A, P-7B & P-7C

*Description of Change:* Currently, BellSouth is displaying an extra character to the beginning of the ACNA code in the raw data for these measures. BellSouth proposes to remove the extra character to the ACNA. This proposed change was Item (3) on the Preliminary February Data Notification filed on December 1, 2004. (RQ5809)

*Impact of Change:* None to measurement results.

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## **PRELIMINARY MARCH 2005 DATA NOTIFICATION**

BellSouth is considering making the changes described in this document to generate results for the March 2005 data month. Results for the March 2005 data month will be posted as follows:

Preliminary results    April 21, 2005  
Final results            May 2, 2005

BellSouth provides Data Notifications each month in compliance with the Georgia Public Service Commission's Order of July 19, 2002. This order specifies that when BellSouth proposes making any changes to the methods by which performance data is calculated, it must provide written notice. This notice must be provided on the first business day of the month before the data month in which the change will be made. BellSouth must also provide notification if it is considering making changes to the method of calculating data for the following month.

The "Affected Measures" described in this notice are those set forth in the Georgia Service Quality Measurement ("SQM") Plan, unless otherwise noted. All "Impact of Change" descriptions are stated at the measurement level, unless the sub-metric level is specified.

ENCORE Releases may affect monthly data flows from the source systems (e.g., LEO, LESOG, etc.) that PMAP uses to calculate measurements. BellSouth will make changes to PMAP to ensure that data continues to be correctly captured as ENCORE Releases are implemented.

### **Provisioning Measurements**

- (1) *Affected Measures:* P-3, P-4, P-4A, P-5, P-6, P-9 & P-10

*Description of Change.* Currently, orders disconnecting BellSouth.net service, from a line where the voice service is provided via Resale or UNE-P, are being counted as a voice order for the voice service. BellSouth proposes to exclude these disconnect records from the data, per the SQM. (RQ5905)

*Impact of Change:* For July 2004, in Georgia, 22 Resale Business orders and 15 UNE Loop and Port orders would have been removed from data with no impact to the interval.

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## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on January 12, 2005, a copy of the foregoing document was served on the following parties, via the method indicated:

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